

BAY DE NOC GREAT LAKES SPORT FISHERMEN WALLEYE SERIES RULES

1. FISH TIME WILL BE FROM 7:00 A.M. UNTIL 4:30 P.M. EST. Cliff D'Arcy Memorial from 7:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. EST.
2. BOAT INSPECTION WILL START AT 6:00 A.M. AT THE NORTHSHORE BOAT LAUNCH.
3. WEIGH-IN WILL BE AT THE NORTHSHORE BOAT LAUNCH FOR THE EARLY BIRD AND THE CLIFF D'ARCY MEMORIAL. THE BAYS CLASSIC WEIGH-IN WILL BE HELD AT THE GLADSTONE YACHT CLUB.
4. ALL CONTESTANTS MUST BE IN LINE NO LATER THAN 4:30 P.M. LATE IS LATE – NO EXCEPTIONS! 5:00 p.m. for the Cliff D'Arcy Memorial.
5. BOUNDARIES FOR THE WALLEYE TOURNAMENTS WILL BE LAKE MICHIGAN WATERS ONLY. THERE IS NO FOUL WEATHER BOUNDARIES! ALL CONTESTANTS FISH AT THEIR OWN RISK.
6. LAUNCH SITES ARE ANY PUBLIC LAUNCH ON LITTLE, BIG OR GREEN BAYS. PRIVATE LAUNCH SITES ARE OFF LIMITS TO ALL CONTESTANTS (i.e. Kobasic). CONTESTANTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING ANY LAUNCH FEES AT THE SITE THEY LAUNCH AT.
7. ALL TEAMS WILL BE RELEASED TO GO FISH AFTER ALL BOATS HAVE BEEN INSPECTED AND THE MORNING SAFETY/RULES MEETINGS.
8. FISH WILL INCLUDE ONLY WALLEYE, SAUGER AND SAUGEYE.
9. THERE IS A TOTAL WEIGHT OF THREE (3) FISH PER TEAM. ONLY TWO (2) FISH OVER 23” CAN BE WEIGHED IN. IF A TEAM HAS MORE THAN TWO (2) FISH OVER 23”, THAT TEAM WILL BE DISQUALIFIED. All teams must weigh-in a single big fish. In the event of a tie, the weight of the single big fish will be the tie breaker. THE “JUDGE RULER” WILL BE THE OFFICIAL RULER OF EACH TOURNAMENT.
10. THERE IS NO DEAD FISH PENALTY.
11. IN THE EVENT OF A TIE, THE SINGLE HEAVIEST FISH WILL BE USED TO BREAK THE TIE.
12. ALL CONTESTANTS MUST BE MEMBERS OF THE B.D.N.G.L.S.F. Membership dues are \$20 per person. \$10 per person for seniors 55 years and older. If you attended the B.D.N.G.L.S.F. banquet, you should be on the updated membership roster as a paid member.
13. ENTRY FEE FOR THE WALLEYE SERIES IS \$125 PER TOURNAMENT. ENTRY FEE AND MEMBERSHIP FEE CAN BE PAID THE MORNING OF THE EVENT.
14. The three (3) walleye tournaments will be run as a series. To qualify for points and/or team of the year, all three (3) tournaments must be fished with the same partner. If one (1) partner is unable to fish an event for any reason, the remaining partner may fish alone – NO SUBSTITUTES. The winning team will get \$500 and a slot at the Cabela's N.T.C. Each member of the winning team will receive a plaque for team of the year.
15. All three (3) walleye tournaments are Cabela's National Team Championship qualifiers. The top point winner will qualify for the Cabela's N.T.C. - DEPENDING ON HOW MANY SLOTS THE B.D.N.G.L.S.F. GETS FROM CABELAS. WINNING AN EVENT NO LONGER GETS YOU A SLOT. ONLY THE TOP POINT EARNERS WILL EARN A SLOT TO CABELA'S N.T.C.
16. Any violation of these rules or State of Michigan sport fishing or boating laws will result in disqualification. All participants must show proof of a valid State of Michigan sport's fishing license. THE G.L.S.F. RESERVES THE RIGHT TO DENY ANYONE THE PRIVILEGE OF FISHING IN ANY EVENT FOR ANY REASON. ANYONE CAUGHT CHEATING WILL BE DISQUALIFIED! ANYONE DISQUALIFIED WILL FORFEIT THEIR ENTRY FEE AND POINTS. As always, the use of drugs and/or alcohol is prohibited before or during tournament hours.
17. FISH FRY MAY FOLLOW EACH EVENT DEPENDING UPON THE WEATHER CONDITIONS.
18. ALL FISH WILL BE RELEASED IF POSSIBLE. ALL DEAD LOSS FISH BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE B.D.N.G.L.S.F.

BAY DE NOC GREAT LAKES SPORTSFISHERMEN WALLEYE SERIES ENTRY FORM

PARTNER #1: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____

PARTNER #2: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____

THE GREAT LAKES SPORTSFISHERMEN, ITS OWNERS, EMPLOYEES, SUPPLIERS, SPONSORS AND VOLUNTEERS ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR INJURIES, DEATHS, DAMAGES, LIABILITY, THEFT OR ANY LOSS OF ANY KIND TO ENTRANTS. SIGNING OF THIS ENTRY FORM WILL BE CONSIDERED A SIGNING AND UNDERSTANDING OF THIS WAIVER.

PARTNER #1 SIGNATURE: _____

PARTNER #2 SIGNATURE: _____

EARLY BIRD BAYS CLASSIC CLIFF D'ARCY MEMORIAL ALL THREE
June 10, 2012 August 12, 2012 September 9, 2012

EACH PARTNER MUST PAY MEMBERSHIP DUES BEFORE FISHING IN ANY EVENT. MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE \$20 PER PERSON OR \$10 PER PERSON FOR SENIORS 55 YEARS AND OLDER.

ENTRY FEE IS \$125 FOR EACH EVENT OR \$375 FOR ALL THREE (3) TOURNAMENTS. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR ANY REASON.

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